Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 21 Jun 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 22 Jun 2024

Forecast Issued on Friday 21 Jun 2024 at 03:09

Confidence: High for a few frontal systems Friday and Sunday with dry spells in between. High for a change to more settled weather from Sunday afternoon onwards.

Headline for Friday 21 Jun 2024: Dry but mostly cloudy morning. Rain this afternoon and early evening. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 21 Jun 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	20%	20%	70%	70%	20%

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Weather: Dry but increasingly cloudy through mid-morning with some hazy sunshine poking through at times. Cloud lowering and becoming more extensive through mid-afternoon with rain, perhaps heavy at times. This clears away east through the evening to allow for some dry, clear spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60% this morning, falling to 25% or less in the afternoon, rising to 80% or more in the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Becoming cloudier through the morning, with low cloud covering moderate elevations, but the highest summits perhaps poking out above the cloud layer. Cloud becomes thicker and more extensive through the afternoon, lowering to 300-500m, with poor visibilities in outbreaks of rain. This clears east to leave a dry and mainly clear late evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/23 S	23/32 S	21/30 S	19/27 S	14/20 SW	14/20 W	18/28 NW
300	9/15 SW	14/23 S	14/23 S	12/21 S	9/16 SW	7/13 W	10/20 NW
Valley	7/14 S	12/23 S	12/22 S	11/20 S	8/14 SW	6/12 W	9/18 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	9/5	9/5	10/7	10/7	10/8	9/7	8/4
300	11/9	12/10	13/10	12/10	12/10	11/10	9/7
Valley	12/11	14/12	14/12	14/12	13/12	12/11	10/8
Freezing Level*	3100m	2500m	2500m	2600m	2400m	2200m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy conditions will make for fairly arduous walking on exposed terrain with buffeting of clothing. Balance may be affected at times. Dull conditions with low cloud and rain in the afternoon will make navigation more challenging.

Forecast for Saturday 22 Jun 2024

Weather: Dry with some bright sunny spells in the morning. Clouding over through the afternoon, with some outbreaks of patchy light rain through the evening.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 15mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90% or more in the morning, falling to 30% through the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Clear summits and excellent visibilities through the morning. Cloud thickening and lowering through the afternoon, down to 300-500m by the evening with moderate to poor visibilities in patchy light rain or drizzle and hill fog.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 10 rising to plus 17 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 6 rising to plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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